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Nahlin Sails On Maiden Trip

The G. S. Nahlin, recently built in Wrangell got away for Telegraph Creek, B. C. at noon today with eighteen passengers and much freight. Passengers for Telegraph were: Lord Beaulerc, W. Pike, H. P. O'Farrel, J. Nicholson, E. Williams, A. Flton, W. Dawson, W. and F. B. Casey, P. A. Brown, H. Sackrider, S. T. Robertson, C. B. Hart, F. N. Jackson, A. J. Charleston and Dr. C. A. Emery, of Wrangell. C. A. Tervo was a passenger for the boundary and W. Watson for the big Canyon.

New Cannery Boats Come From South

The cannery tenders, Mary Malone and Jupiter, for the Point Ward cannery arrived at Point Ward from the south early this week. The Success, one of the new boats for the Burnette Inlet cannery, recently up from the Sound, was in port Friday.

Carpenters Completing Cannery Buildings

The work on the buildings for the new canneries in and tributary to Wrangell has been pushed rapidly during the unusually good weather of the season. E. E. Noble, who contracted for the Port Beaulerc work reports the buildings, with exception of the warehouse, are completed. The Burnette Inlet and Point Ward buildings have forged ahead and the two canneries in town are practically complete.

Contractors have been able to finish their work weeks ahead owing to the very favorable weather conditions that have prevailed in this section.

Court News

The grand jury during a busy week acted on twenty-two cases returning seventeen true bills and five not true bills in addition to much committee work.

Vasile Deacon, who attacked

and inflicted dangerous wounds on his companion, Jack Brown, was given a term of 500 days to be served in the Juneau jail. Tom Nagle, our persistent "peddler," drew sixty days after pleading guilty to the charges brought against him.

An interlocking recommendation and one that received the praise of Judge Kyons, was in the report of the committee investigating the jails. The committee reported favoring the system of making the prisoners work eight hours each day on some public improvement where free labor would not be interfered with. This was recommended not only as a measure to keep the prisoners in good condition but as a preventive of crime, it being known that more crimes are committed in the Autumn by persons looking for free board and warm shelter during the winter months.

The grand jurors from Wrangell returned on the Jefferson, having completed their work in seven days.

It's Up To Wrangell

Mr. O. A. Brown, Manager of the Alaska Sanitary Packing Co., has a problem before Wrangell people that demands immediate attention. The cannery has been built in town with the intention of securing home labor. However, the canning season approaches and time will admit of no delay in securing labor. In short, Mr. Brown must know within a week if he will be able to secure home labor or must import a Chinese crew, which is not the manager's desire.

There will be work for men and women boys and girls and about twelve fish washers will be needed. The pay will be as high and the work as steady as at the nearby canneries and for Wrangell people, it will be at home. A crew broken in this year will receive preference in future. If you desire work or know of anyone who does communicate at once with the Manager. The question must be settled now as to whether Wrangell will get the most possible benefit from the industry or the Chinese will be allowed to reap the harvest—and take it away.

St. Philip's Church

On account of the union service for the Senior Class of the grammar school, there will be no service Sunday evening.

The Sunday following, May 26, is the Church's birthday and there will be an appropriate service. The theme will be "The Church Necessary to Civilization."

Red Men 1 Special business next Tuesday night.

Hunters From Iskut Report Bear Scarce

An unusual condition regarding the big game on the Iskut is reported by Charlie Olson, who with J. S. Augsburg, of San Francisco, returned from a hunting trip Tuesday. A few bear were seen but for some unaccountable reason they are very scarce and up to the time of their coming down the river no bear were secured by any of the parties now on the Iskut.

There will be a public meeting at the Court House 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon to appoint committees to arrange for the Memorial Day exercises.

Care of Birds.

In an English treatise on the "Hygiene of Bird Keeping," by George Creswell, attention is called to the thoughtless practice of hanging birds in cages just above the level of the sashes of windows and to the mistaken kindness of hanging a cage in a corner of a sitting room or a kitchen near the ceiling. In the one case the bird is subjected to drafts and will in all probability develop catarrh and bronchitis, and in the other it lives in a vitiated atmosphere.

"Welcome" Ball Attracts Crowd

The "Welcome" ball given by Wrangell citizens last Friday evening in honor of the returning cannery people and the new residents of the town, was a successful event from every viewpoint. A large crowd was in attendance and stayed in attendance until the small hours began to grow. Music for the occasion was furnished by the orchestra.

A Speed Boat

Although practically every boat owner has a speed boat, it is their eternal wish to have a speedier one and some desire the speediest. No little interest is being taken in the proposed speedy 21 ft runabout that Wm. Fletcher is to build for Wm. Lewis. A four-cylinder Kermath motor that will turn up 1,000 revolutions per minute has been ordered and is expected to be here in time to be installed before July 4. The boat is expected to outrun anything now in Wrangell.

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What will we do with the gas-boats? New ones of the "larger" class are coming to Wrangell with a rush as the canning season approaches and they find the floats overflowing with rowboats and small launches. We have a fine anchorage but that is not their object in coming here. A landing is necessary or preferable in almost every instance and with boats 40 to 60 feet long the crowded floats offer no inviting prospects. There are new boats this year for Lake Bay, Burnette Inlet, Point Ward and Port Beauclerc which taken with the new Wrangell boats make it necessary that larger floats be

maintained. The need is greater than should be supplied by private capital and demands municipal attention.

The Proportion.
Knicker—Did he speak at a dinner?
Bocker—No; he ate at a talk.—New York Sun.

Appropriate.
Film—Gee, that's a loud suit you have on!
Elam—Yes; it's crash.—Yale Record.

Man's Imagination.
Sometimes a man imagines he is popular when he is only a convenience.—Atchison Globe.

Wisdom.
Wisdom is cherished by the few, neglected by the many and hired by the powerful.—Life.

SERIAL 01525
NOTICE OF APPLICATION
United States Land Office, Juneau, Alaska, April 18, 1912.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Kake Trading and Packing Company, a corporation, whose post office address is Kake, Alaska, doing business in the District of Alaska, have, under and pursuant to Secs. 12 and 13 of an Act of Congress of date March 3rd, 1891, as amended by Sec. 10 of an Act of Congress of date May 13th, 1898, entitled "An Act extending the homestead laws and providing for right of way for railroads in the District of Alaska, and for other purposes," applied to purchase the lands embraced in U. S. Non-Mineral Survey No. 963, situated on West shore of Kipreanof Island, District of Alaska and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:
Beg. at cor. No. 1 M. C.; cor. not set; wit. cor. bears N. 67 deg. 43 min. E. 1.46 chs. dist., a granite boulder set in ground marked S 963 Cor. 1 W. C.; U. S. L. M. bears N. 54 deg. 18 min. 50 sec. 85.68 chs.; Cor. No. 1 of Tract A, Friend's Mission Reserve bears N. 55 deg. 47 min. 29 sec. W. 84.46 chs. dist.; thence N. 67 deg. 43 min. E. 7.17 chs. to Cor. No. 2, a granite boulder set in ground marked S 963 Cor. 2; thence S. 22 deg. 17 min. E. 19.03 chs. to Cor. No. 3, a granite stone marked S 963 Cor. 3; thence S. 67 deg. 43 min. W. 8.72 chs. to Cor. No. 4, Cor. not set; wit. cor. bears N. 67 deg. 43 min. E. 2.16 chs. dist., a granite boulder set in ground marked S 963 Cor. 4 W. C.; thence from true Cor. No. 4 meandering mean high tide along beach of arm of Frederick Sound (1) N. 13 deg. 25 min. W. 5.00 chs.; (2) N. 26 deg. 51 min. W. 2.90 chs.; (3) N. 6 deg. 47 min. E. 1.90 chs.; (4) N. 47 deg. 02 min. W. 1.60 chs.; (5) N. 30 deg. 44 min. W. 4.40 chs.; (6) N. 9 deg. 02 min. W. 3.90 chs.; (7) N. 29 deg. 58 min. E. 1.20 chs. to Cor. No. 1, place of beginning. Area 15.90 acres. Var. at all corners 30 deg. 35 min. East.
Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said lands required to file an adverse claim with the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Juneau, Alaska, during the period of publication, or within thirty days thereafter, otherwise proof and entry of said land will be made by said applicant.

C. B. WALKER, Register.
It is hereby ordered that the foregoing notice be published for a statutory period in the Wrangell Sentinel, a weekly newspaper published in the town of Wrangell, Alaska, in the District of Alaska, which said newspaper is hereby designated as the newspaper published nearest the land above described.
C. B. WALKER, Register.
First publication, May 2, 1912.
Last publication, July 4, 1912.

No. 860-A.
Notice of Sale Under Execution.
In The District Court for the District of Alaska, Div. No. 1, at Juneau.
Joseph T. Field
Plaintiff
vs
Jack Hadland
Defendant,
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA } SS
TERRITORY OF ALASKA }
Public notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an EXECUTION dated April 24, 1912, issued out of the District Court for the District of Alaska Div. No. 1 at Juneau, on a judgment rendered in the above entitled cause on the 21st of March, 1912, in favor of Jack Hadland, defendant, and against Joseph T. Field, plaintiff, I have, on this 1st day of May, 1912, levied upon the following described real estate situated in the Town of Petersburg, Territory of Alaska, to-wit: All the right, title and interest of the defendant Joseph T. Field in and to that certain tract of land known as the Maloney lot Beginning at the NW Corner, whence Cor. No. 1 of H. S. 282 bears N. 18 deg. 11 min. W. 122.50 ft. distant, thence N. 89 deg. 15 min. E. 125 ft. to Cor. No. 2, thence S. 1 deg. 36 min. E. 71 ft. to Cor. No. 3, thence N. 85 deg. W. 126.3 ft. to Cor. No. 4, thence N. 1 deg. 36 min. W. 65 ft. to the NW Cor.; the place of beginning, containing about 0.2 acres more or less. And that I will offer said real estate for sale, at Public Vendue to the highest and best bidder for cash, on the 8th day of June, 1912, at 10 O'clock A. M. at said property at Petersburg, Alaska. Dated May 1st 1912.
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News of Local Interest

Capt Rasted came down from Petersburg Tuesday.

For Sale—7 h. p. Gray Motor. Apply to Walter Shadesty.

John Olson has purchased the Stickeen of F. Wigg.

The Irene Barnes came in Tuesday from Lake Bay for Lumber.

The J. H. Sisson was in from Klawock Tuesday.

Chas. Darwell will use the Ma-at the Vixen Inlet trap this season.

The Nahlin was out for a trial spin Tuesday.

The Kuig Queen was in from Port Beauclerc Wednesday.

O. A. Brown was a passenger from Seattle on the Jefferson.

C. C. Harris was in from Santa Ana Saturday.

The Mary Malone was in from Point Ward Wednesday.

Bender's moving picture shows are attracting good crowds.

The Uncle Dan will make weekly trips to Lincoln Rock lighthouse.

S. R. Hanley and Wm. Lewis came in from Point Ward Wednesday.

N. L. Moen has a crew of ten men working on the A. B. A. can-nery water supply pipe line.

The Black Fox took passengers up the Stikine to to the boundary Tuesday.

Oak Olson and Frank H. Tasher made the west coast towns on the Uncle Dan.

Ole Johnson commenced work on the Church Street walk Wednesday morning.

Some of the "kids" were swimming in the bay Monday afternoon. What would the average Easterner think if told that?

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Barnes were in from Lake Bay Friday and attended the dance at Red Men's Hall Friday evening.

Mrs Geo. H. Barnes will be hostess for the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church, next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. All members are requested to be present.

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W. Hoagland has received a 5 h. p. Lockwood-Ash motor ordered by the Thlinget Trading Company.

M. J. Crossman has resigned his position at the Thlinget Trading Company's store and will fish with F. Wigg this season.

F. J. Stewart and J. Morrissey were in Friday from Aaron's Creek where they have a line of bear traps set.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leonard and Mrs. R. L. Cole were passengers on the Uncle Dan Wednesday afternoon.

The steam whaler, Star 1, of Ketchikan, on her way from Seattle to Port Armstrong, called in for mail Tuesday afternoon.

Nelson DuBrie, Robt. Royalty and Jack Clausen came in from their logging camp with the Lumberjack Wednesday morning.

W. G. Brown and sons left Monday with D. L. Wing and the gas-boat Salmon for a bear hunt on the back channel.

A. H. Lawrence intends taking a trip south soon in the interest of his cannery and will arrange for shipping up the machines which are expected to arrive in time to be installed and ready to commence the season's pack on July 1.

The unexpected happened last Saturday when A. T. Spader caught a king salmon. History repeated itself when the second one got tangled in the line and helped swell his batting average.

His Great Scheme. The aggressive young man elbowed his way into the private office. "I have a great scheme," he asserted, "to boom your headache remedy."

"What is it?" grunted the manufacturer.

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"What's so great about that scheme?"

"Why, man, don't you see? You are not only advertising the remedy, but creating a demand for it as well."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Roman Sausages. The Romans were very much addicted to sausages made at Lucania. The meat used was pork and a good quantity of bacon, pounded in a mortar, with pepper, cummin, winter savory and moistened with garum, to which were added a few pine nuts. It has been pointed out that the Romans when they used breadcrumbs took care that the bread should be of the very finest kind and that before it was mingled with the sausage meat it should be soaked in wine. This was a precaution against the contingency of the bread passing through a sour stage of fermentation, in which case it would be undeniably unwholesome.

SHAPING DESTINY. No man can do his work well, as well as he can, year in and year out, and not be hacking and hewing at something more implacable than wood or stone and not be shaping something more durable than iron or steel, even his own character, his own spiritual destiny. Every workshop is a workshop for forging that, for making it strong and beautiful.—John W. Chadwick.

School Notes

Louis Cdas. Lemieux, Reporter.

The Seniors are justly proud of their averages made this year.

Weston Dalgity 99.

Alice Kipcaid 98.

Leona Lindman 97.

Louis Lemieux 96.

Shor Hofstad 95.

Anna Sylvester 94.

Everyone is cordially invited to the Baccalaureate services at the Presbyterian Church Sunday evening May 19th.

PROGRAM

Doxology.

Invocation.

Rev. Clark, of the Presbyterian Church.

Hymn. The Son of God Goes

Earth to War.

Scripture Lesson.

Adit. Robt. Smith, S. A.

Prayer.

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Hymn No. 56.

Psalm Selection 53.

Solo.

Mrs. Neill.

Sermon.

How to Begin.

Rev. H. P. Corser.

of St. Philip's Church.

Hymn.

Benediction.

Commencement exercises will be held in the Red Men's Hall, May 24th, 8:30 p. m.

This is an entertainment free for all and all are invited.

Yen Chest Lining.

The Chinese use as an alloy for lining ten chests a metal foil consisting of 125 parts of lead and 18 parts of tin.

Three Old Cities.

Damascus, Bagares and Constantinople are among the oldest cities in the world.

A Damp One.

Mrs. Suburbs—I'm going down cellar.

Suburbs—Well, bon voyage.—Harper's Bazar.

Affected Cheerfulness.

A man acting a cheerfulness he doesn't feel is never a very good actor.

—Atchison Globe.

Try a Laugh.

A frown has never been very effective as a bait for fortune's smile.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Didn't Show It.

"He comes from a good family." "He seems to have come a long way."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Way of It.

Knieker—Jones used to be a quitter.

Bocker—Is still. He has quit quitting.

—New York Sun.

Picture in Disguise.

Many and strange have been the vicissitudes of some of the world's greatest pictures, and a fine painting which is owned in England has an interesting history. This remarkable picture, which for some years consisted of a painting of flowers, was pronounced by an art dealer to be merely a mask for some other picture, and on his receiving permission he gradually cleaned off the flowers, discovering underneath a very fine portrait of Charles I. by Van Dyck. It is supposed that the portrait was thus disguised in order to save it from destruction by the Roundheads at the time of the commonwealth.—London Standard.

ENJOY WHAT YOU CAN.

To be soured by poverty or to be hardened by it is a mistake, an error of thought. Instead of enjoying our life we are cramping ourselves. It is as if we were set at a feast and sulkily refused to enjoy a few dishes because we could not reach everything on the table and make ourselves sick, like foolish children that we are.—Bliss Carman.

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SALE OF TIMBER: Ketchikan, Alaska, April 18, 1912. Sealed bids marked outside: "Bid. Timber Sale Application, January 23, 1912, (Tongass," and addressed to the Forest Supervisor, Forest Service, Ketchikan, Alaska, will be received up to and including the 25th day of May, 1912 for all the merchantable dead timber, standing or down, and all the live timber designated for cutting by the Forest officer, located on an area to be definitely designated by a Forest officer before cutting begins, including approximately 40 acres on the east side of at the head of Eliza Harbor, Admiralty Island, within the Tongass National Forest, Alaska, estimated to be 1,900,000 feet B. M. of live and dead spruce and hemlock sawtimber, log scale, more or less. No bid of less than \$1.00 per thousand feet B. M. will be considered and a deposit of \$200.00 must be sent to C. T. Gardner, Special Fiscal Agent, Forest Service, Ketchikan, Alaska, for each bid submitted to the Supervisor. Timber upon valid claims is exempted from sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. For further information and regulations governing sales address Forest Supervisor, Forest Service, Ketchikan, Alaska.

Funerals in Scotland.

In Scotland the custom still prevails of taking down the window blinds at a death and hanging white sheets across the windows. The custom also prevails in the north of England, and in many families a special sheet reserved for the death-chamber is kept for the purpose and often used from generation to generation. In many parts of Scotland, too, it is still customary for the nearest relatives of the deceased to lower the body into the grave and wait by the side until the grave is filled up.—London Mail.

LAUGHTER.

Laughter is a most healthful exertion. It is one of the greatest helps to digestion with which I am acquainted, and the custom prevalent among our forefathers of exciting it at table by jesters and buffoons was founded on true medical principles.—Dr. Hufeland.

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"Now Johnnie, define the word taxidermist," said Miss Rodd.

"A taxidermist is a feller who runs a taxicab," said Johnnie.

"No, dear," said Miss Rodd. "A taxidermist is a man who stuffs birds. Have you never seen one doing his work?"

"Yessum," said Willie. "Our doctor came to dinner last Sunday, and the way he stuffed turkey showed that he must be a taxidermist."—New York Mail.

His Conscience.

Fierce as he was, the infamous Chief Justice Jeffreys did not always escape the sting of a reprieve. He went to a country assize once where an old man with a great beard came to give evidence, but had not the good fortune to please the judge, so he quarreled with his beard and said, "If your conscience is as large as your beard you'll swear anything." The old blade was nettled and briskly returned, "My lord, if you go about measuring consciences by beards your lordship has none."

New Caledonia.

Until 1853 New Caledonia was a sort of no man's land. Then both England and France decided to annex it, and orders came to two warships to proceed thither at once. They started the same day. The English captain had heard of the reefs that surround the island, and he was cautious. The Frenchman went ahead without regard for the reefs. When the British captain arrived he saw the tricolor flying from a hill, and he was invited to come in and lunch on French soil.

Imitative Animals.

Some animals have wonderful powers of imitation. Dogs brought up in the company of cats have been known to acquire the trick of licking the paws and then washing the face. When a cat has been taught to sit up for her food her kittens have been known to imitate her action. Darwin tells of a cat that was in the habit of putting her paw into the mouth of a narrow milk pitcher every time she got the chance and then licking the cream off her paw. Her kittens soon learned the same trick.

How We Breathe.

Men and women do not breathe alike. In a woman the breathing is from the thorax or chest, while in a man it is mainly from the diaphragm, which is lower down. This peculiar difference is so marked that it is possible to recognize by it a woman disguised as a man, although the disguise may be faultless in other respects. Most physiologists say that this difference is not due to sex, but owing to artificial conditions, such as the wearing of corsets.

Killing a Robin.

There are persons at the present day—and not all old women, either—who believe that killing a robin will bring bad luck. According to ancient belief, the storm cloud was a huge bird. The Arabians represented his wings as measuring 10,000 fathoms. This bird lived on worms, the latter being the streaks of lightning accompanying storms. The Germans remodeled the fiction by creating the god Thor, whose bird was the robin. Consequently to kill a robin first meant death by lightning, then bad luck.

Pudding Wives.

The name of pudding wives was given to women who were occasionally employed in some English monasteries for making pastry and delicacies that call for the deft touch of a feminine hand. They were engaged by or with the consent of the regular cook of the monastery and had a house or chamber in which to work near the kitchen called the pudding house. When animals were slaughtered, especially when pigs were killed, about St. Martin's day, these women's services were required to make black puddings; hence the name pudding wives. They were called in, too, for the making of pastry on special occasions.—London Globe.

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